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FEE TRANSMITTAL AND SUPPLEMENTAL SUBMISSION OF **REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 371**

Commissioner for Patents:

Applicants have not yet received a Notice of Missing Requirements. However, enclosed please find the following:

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X Oath/Declaration

The Following fees are enclosed with this response. All fees are calculated on a large entity basis:

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\$130

Fee for Late Filing Oath/Declaration

\$600

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Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fees of \$730, to Deposit Account No. 04-0258. If additional fees are believed necessary, the Commissioner is further authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0258.

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